



International Committee for Animal Recording (ICAR) Membership Application for Associate Membership

Please complete this application and mail two copies to:
ICAR – Via G. Tomassetti 3, A/1 (00161 Rome, Italy)

As stated in the Statutes of the association, the objects of ICAR shall be to promote the development and improvement of performance recording and evaluation of farm animals. Such objects to be achieved through establishing definitions and standards for measuring animal characteristics having economic importance.

ICAR develops and establishes standards to define criteria to be applied consistently in the provision of recording and evaluation services, in the manufacture and supply of animal identification, performance recording and analytical devices and in testing of such and in analysis of animal products and performance for recording and evaluation purposes.

ICAR rules define basic principles of animal identification, registration of parentage, performance recording and genetic evaluation.

On the basis of sound scientific evidence, the ICAR guidelines recommend procedures and methods of animal identification, registration of parentage, performance recording and genetic evaluation.

“I declare to have read and accept the Statutes of ICAR, its International Agreement for Recording Practices, and the internal regulation on use of name and logos”.

Organisation name: Wageningen UR Livestock Research

Country: the Netherlands Signature of the legal representative: _____

Place and date: Lelystad, _____ Seal: _____

“The Secretary General approved this application and will submit it to the Board then to the next General Assembly for adoption of the new **associate member** subject to the payment of the first annual membership fee as explained on the web site (www.icar.org). The membership will start on the year _____”.

Place and date: _____

Signature of the legal representative: _____

Seal: _____

MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

Name of the institution / company:

Wageningen UR Livestock Research

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We apply for ASSOCIATE membership. Please state whether you are applying for associate membership

We apply for an associate membership of the Methane Phenotype Working Group.

Please provide a description of your organisation and your business activities:

Wageningen UR Livestock Research (WLR) is a contract research organisation aiming for fundamental, innovative research and practical solutions for sustainable and profitable livestock farming. I (Yvette de Haas) am employed as a senior scientist with a main aim to improve the resource efficiency of ruminants.

Please indicate the benefits and services your organisation seeks from becoming an ICAR member.

Becoming an ICAR member will enable us to play a crucial role in setting up the protocols for collecting methane emissions of ruminants on a large scale. This suits well to the COST Action METHAGENE (www.methangene.eu) which Dr. Yvette de Haas is chairing, and to the ASSGN (Animal Selection, Genetics and Genomics Network) of the Livestock Research Group of the Global Research Alliance for agricultural greenhouse gases with Dr. Martin Scholten of WLR is partly chairing.